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Chemiluminescent Substrates)
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Art Unit: 1651 ^{PPF})
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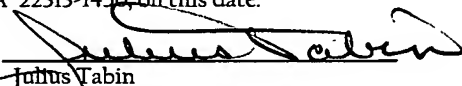
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on October 21, 2005, in the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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